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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff,) 2:13-CR-368-JAD-VCF) 3:15-CR-8082-SMM/2:19-CR-00047-JAD-) VCF	
v.)) Preliminary Order of Forfeiture)	
WILLIAM C. THOMPSON,		
Defendant.	_ }	

This Court finds that defendant William C. Thompson pled guilty to the following:

As to the Superseding Indictment filed in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada (Nevada), Counts One through Five of a Five-Count Superseding Criminal Indictment charging him in Count One with Child Exploitation Enterprise in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2252A(g); in Count Two with Sexual Exploitation of a Child in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2251(a); in Count Three with Conspiracy to Produce Child Pornography in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2251(a) and 2251(e); in Count Four with Distribution of Child Pornography in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2252A(a)(3); and in Count Five with Conspiracy to Distribute Child Pornography in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2252A(a)(3) and 2252A(b)(1). Superseding Criminal Indictment, ECF No. 14; Plea Agreement, ECF No. __; Change of Plea, ECF No. __.

As to the Redacted Indictment filed in the United States District Court for the District of Arizona (Arizona), Counts One through Fourteen of a Fourteen Count Indictment charging him in Counts One through Nine, Eleven, and Twelve with Production of Child Pornography in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2251(a) and in Counts Ten, Thirteen, and
Fourteen with Possession of Child Pornography in violation of Title 18, United States Code,
Section 2252A(a)(5)(B). Indictment, ECF No. 1; Plea Agreement, ECF No. __; Change of Plea,
ECF No. __.

This Court finds defendant William C. Thompson agreed to the forfeiture of the property

This Court finds defendant William C. Thompson agreed to the forfeiture of the property set forth in the Plea Agreement, the Bill of Particulars, and the Forfeiture Allegations of the Superseding Criminal Indictment (Nevada) and the Forfeiture Allegations of the Redacted Indictment (Arizona). Superseding Criminal Indictment (Nevada), ECF No. 14; Bill of Particulars (Nevada), ECF No. 34; Plea Agreement (Nevada), ECF No. __; Change of Plea (Nevada), ECF No. __; Indictment (Arizona), ECF No. 1; Plea Agreement (Arizona), ECF No. __; Change of Plea (Arizona), ECF No. __.

This Court finds, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(1) and (2), the United States of America has shown the requisite nexus between property set forth in the Plea Agreement, the Bill of Particulars, the Forfeiture Allegations of the Superseding Criminal Indictment (Nevada), and the Forfeiture Allegation of the Redacted Indictment (Arizona) and the offenses to which defendant William C. Thompson pled guilty.

The following property is (1) any visual depiction described in Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2251 and 2252A, or any book, magazine, periodical, film, videotape, or other matter which contains any such visual depiction, which was produced, transported, mailed, shipped or received in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2251(a) and 2251(e), 2252A(a)(3) and 2252A(b)(1), 2252A(a)(5)(B), and 2252A(g); (2) any property, real or personal, constituting or traceable to gross profits or other proceeds obtained from violations of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2251(a) and 2251(e), 2252A(a)(3) and 2252A(b)(1), 2252A(a)(5)(B), and 2252A(g); and (3) any property, real or personal, used or intended to be used to commit or to promote the commission of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2251(a) and 2251(e), 2252A(a)(3) and 2252A(g); and (3) any 2252A(a)(5)(B), and 2252A(g) or any property

36. PNY 16GB SD Card;

- 37. 2 SanDisk 8GB SD Compact Flash cards;
- 38. Sandisk 8GB SD card; and
- 39. iPhone, FCC ID: BCG-E23808

(all of which constitutes property).

This Court finds that the United States of America may amend this order at any time to add subsequently located property or substitute property to the forfeiture order pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(2)(C) and 32.2(e).

This Court finds the United States of America is now entitled to, and should, reduce the aforementioned property to the possession of the United States of America.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the United States of America should seize the aforementioned property.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED all possessory rights, ownership rights, and all rights, titles, and interests of William C. Thompson in the aforementioned property are forfeited and are vested in the United States of America and shall be safely held by the United States of America until further order of the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the United States of America shall publish for at least thirty (30) consecutive days on the official internet government forfeiture website, www.forfeiture.gov, notice of this Order, which shall describe the forfeited property, state the time under the applicable statute when a petition contesting the forfeiture must be filed, and state the name and contact information for the government attorney to be served with the petition, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(6) and Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(n)(2).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that any individual or entity who claims an interest in the aforementioned property must file a petition for a hearing to adjudicate the validity of the petitioner's alleged interest in the property, which petition shall be

signed by the petitioner under penalty of perjury pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(n)(3) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 1746, and shall set forth the nature and extent of the petitioner's right, title, or interest in the forfeited property and any additional facts supporting the petitioner's petition and the relief sought.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a petition, if any, must be filed with the Clerk of the Court, 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101, no later than thirty (30) days after the notice is sent or, if direct notice was not sent, no later than sixty (60) days after the first day of the publication on the official internet government forfeiture site, www.forfeiture.gov.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a copy of the petition, if any, shall be served upon the Asset Forfeiture Attorney of the United States Attorney's Office at the following address at the time of filing:

Daniel D. Hollingsworth Assistant United States Attorney 501 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Suite 1100 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the notice described herein need not be published in the event a Declaration of Forfeiture is issued by the appropriate agency following publication of notice of seizure and intent to administratively forfeit the above-described property.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Clerk send copies of this Order to all counsel of record.

DATED this day of February, 2019.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT VUDGE